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SFPP, L.P. Concord to Sacramento Petroleum Products Pipeline California State Clearinghouse No. 2002022010 CSLC EIR No. 711

## TO THE PARTY ADDRESSED:

This document is the finalizing addendum to the Draft Environmental Impact Report (Draft EIR) prepared for the consideration of a new lease by the California State Lands Commission (CSLC) for the Concord to Sacramento Pipeline Project proposed by SFPP, L.P. (Proposed Project).

This final EIR has been prepared by the CSLC pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Section 21000 et seq., California Public Resources Code) and in accordance with the *Guidelines for the Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act* (Section 15000 et seq., California Code of Regulations, Title 14). The *Guidelines* stipulate that an EIR must be prepared for any project that may have a significant impact on the environment. The Concord to Sacramento Pipeline Project is a "project" as defined by the *Guidelines*. Upon preliminary review, the CSLC determined that the Proposed Project may have a significant adverse impact on the environment and, therefore, an EIR was required.

This document, together with the Draft EIR (SCH#2002022010) circulated for public review and comment in June 2003, constitute the Final EIR for the Proposed Project. The Final EIR will be used by the CSLC as part of its approval process, including setting the conditions of the lease agreement, and incorporating mitigation measures for project implementation. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program (MMP) is incorporated in Section F of the Draft EIR, with revisions shown in Section 4 of this Final EIR.

This Final EIR addresses the potential environmental effects of the Proposed Project and alternatives. The Proposed Project entails the construction and operation of approximately 70 miles of 20-inch diameter pipeline from Concord, Contra Costa County, to West Sacramento, Yolo County, and includes but is not limited to, valves, pumps, internal inspection facilities, and other appurtenances and support equipment. The Proposed Project will utilize the existing 14" pipeline to cross the Carquinez Strait for a 1.1-mile segment until such time that technology has improved to propose a single directional drill. Construction of the proposed project will include upgrades to SFPP's existing Concord and Sacramento Stations which would occur within the existing facility boundaries and would include the installation of piping, pumps, fittings, valves, and other equipment that would be necessary to connect the new pipeline to the existing facilities. In addition to the proposed 20-inch diameter pipeline between Concord and West Sacramento, the Proposed Project includes construction of a new 12-inch diameter pipeline branch (approximately 0.8 miles long) to serve Wickland Oil Company.

The Final EIR is available for public inspection at:

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The Final EIR was provided to the California State Clearinghouse and federal, State and local agencies; elected officials; Native American groups; newspapers; public libraries; and other interested parties who provided scoping comments, commented on the Draft EIR, or wrote to the CSLC asking to receive a copy of the document.

Limited numbers of copies of the Final EIR are also available from Judy Brown, CSLC, at the address above. The Final EIR is also available for viewing on the CSLC web site at http://www.slc.ca.gov and at the public libraries listed below:

Benicia Public Library 150 E. L Street Benicia, CA 94510-3281 (707) 746-4343

Concord Library 2900 Salvio Street Concord, CA 94519-2597 (925) 646-5455 Suisun City Library 333 Sunset, Suite 280 Suisun City, CA 94585-2048 (707) 421-6937

Fairfield-Suisun Community Library 1150 Kentucky Street Fairfield, CA 94533-5799 (707) 421-6500

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The CSLC will meet to consider certification of the Final EIR and take action on the Proposed Project at a public meeting on October 20, 2003, at 2:00 p.m., Port of San Diego Board Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 3165 Pacific Highway, San Diego, CA 92101. If you have any questions regarding the CSLC meeting, or wish to testify at the meeting, please contact Judy Brown at (916) 574-1868.

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